7. The rates tendered must, besides the articles specified above, include lamp oil, earthen plates, lotas, brooms, &c. The contractor will supply ragi grain to be ground by convicts, and it will be issued as flour. The supply will be calculated and payment made upon the quantity so issued at the price of ragi grain.

8. The probable requirements of the chief articles for the ten months will be (for 400 convicts on various scales) as under :—

Ragi	(lbs.)	..	.. 18,000	Gingelly oil	..	..	100.
Rice	,,	..	.. 4,275	Salt	..	..	450.
Dál or ballar	,,	..	.. 2,100	Curry-powder	..	..	250.
Vegetables	,,	..	.. 4,200	Onions	..	..	350.
Meat	,,	..	.. 1,150	Firewood	..	..	18,000.
Ghee	,,	..	.. 150				

9. The Superintendent reserves to himself the right of rejecting any tender without assigning any reason for so doing.

10. The deposit of the successful competitor will be retained and will be forfeited if he fails to execute the contract bond or to furnish security to the amount of Rs. 250 in cash or Government bonds within one week from the date of the acceptance of his contract being made known to him.

11. No advance of cash will be made to the contractor. Payments for the articles supplied will be made by the Superintendent, District Jail, as soon as possible after the 1st of each month.

12. A store-room will be made over to the contractor in which he can keep all non-perishable articles. Perishable articles, such as meat, &c., must be at the jail by 8 A.M. daily.

13. The contract must not be sublet.

14. A fine not exceeding Rs. 25 will be levied at the discretion of the Superintendent of the District Jail for any infringement of the stipulation of the contract or for the supply of any inferior articles, and if frequently violated, the contract may be annulled and the security confiscated to Government.

15. The decision of the Superintendent of the District Jail to be final in all questions of infringement of contract.

16. The contractor will be bound to purchase vegetables from the jail garden for the use of the prisoners at the same rate as in the contract.

17. Any further information can be obtained by applying to the Superintendent.

18. This contract will be subject to the confirmation of the Inspector General of Jails in Mysore.

B. TIRUMALACHARI,
Superintendent.

Camp Davangere, the 14th January 1880.

The undermentioned Amildars and Magistrates of the 3rd Class are invested with the following powers :—

1. Power to hold inquests (Section 135, C. P. C).

2. Power to entertain complaints of offences in cases in which he has jurisdiction to try or commit for trial (Section 141).

3. Power to issue order to prevent obstruction, &c., (Section 518).

4. Power to issue order prohibiting repetition of nuisance (Section 519).

C. M. D'Souza, Amildar of Budihal.
M. Krishna Rao, Amildar of Pavagada.
S. B. Tirumalachar, Amildar of Hiriyur.

ABDUL KHADER, K. B.,
District Magistrate.

SHIMOGA DISTRICT.

NOTIFICATION.

The 31st December 1879.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received up to 1st March 1880, by the Superintendent of the Shimoga Jail, for the supply by contract of all articles of diet, &c., required for the use of the prisoners confined in the Shimoga Jail, from 1st April 1880 to 31st March 1881, both days inclusive, subject to confirmation by the Inspector General of Jails.

2. No tenders will be received after the date above named.

3. Tenders to be superscribed "Tenders for the supply of provisions for the Shimoga Jail."

4. No tenders will be received unless accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 500 in cash or Currency Notes.

5. Tenders will be opened by the Superintendent of the Shimoga Jail, at the Jail Office on the date above named, in the presence of such tenderers who may choose to attend.

6. All tenders must specify the rate per convict per diem of the following classes, *viz* :—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Native laboring males, A class			
Do do B do			
Juvenile prisoners			
Native laboring short-term males, C class			
Do non-laboring males, females and under-trial, D. class ..			
Europeans and East Indians			

7. The rates tendered must, besides the articles specified in the undermentioned diet scales, include hospital diet, extras to sick, and perishable articles, lamp-oil, lanterns, and repairing the same, soap-nut or sige-kayi for bathing purposes, all repairing and tinning of copper utensils, brooms, bamboos for making baskets and mats, firewood for baking pots, milk, bread, sugar, &c., required for children of female convicts, sulphur for fumigating cells, fuller's earth, and all other sundry articles exclusive of clothing required to be supplied regularly for the use of the prisoners.

8. The Superintendent reserves to himself the right of rejecting any tender without assigning any reason for so doing.

9. The deposit of the successful competitor will be retained, and will be forfeited if he fails to execute the contract bond, or to furnish security to the amount of Rs. 1,000 in cash or Government bonds within one week from the date of the acceptance of his contract being made known to him.

10. No advance of cash will be made to the contractor. Payment for the articles supplied will be made by the Superintendent, Shimoga Jail, as soon as possible, after the 1st of each month.

11. A store-room will be made over to the contractor in which he can keep all non-perishable articles. Perishable articles such as, meat, &c., must be at the Jail by 7-15 A. M. daily.

12. The contract must not be sublet.

13. A fine not exceeding Rs. 50 will be levied at the discretion of the Superintendent of the Shimoga Jail for any infringement of the stipulation of the contract or for the supply of any inferior articles, and if frequently violated, the contract may be annulled and the security confiscated to Government.

14. The decision of the Superintendent of the Shimoga jail to be final in all questions of infringement of contract.

The contractor will be bound to purchase vegetables from the jail garden for the use of the prisoners at a fixed rate of four pies per lb.

15. Any further information can be obtained by applying to the Superintendent.

16. Any accidental wastage of food in breaking of pots while cooking should be made good by the contractor.

Note.—The present strength of the Shimoga Jail is 353 prisoners, with an anticipated increase of about 400 during the year.